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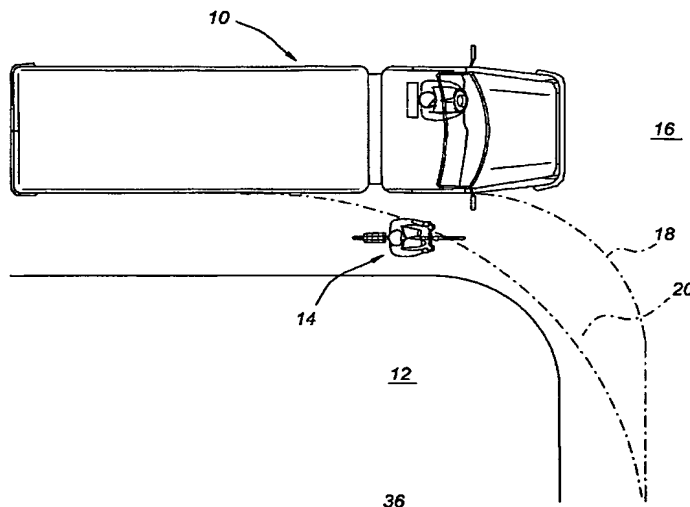
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(57) Abstract: Device for avoiding traffic accidents where at least one four-wheeled road user and another type of road user are involved, where the road user comes into contact with a side of the vehicle. The vehicle is provided with, means by means of which the presence of another road user in the vicinity of the side of the vehicle can be established by the driver of the vehicle. These means are provided with at least one proximity sensor fixed in or to the relevant side of the vehicle, by means of which the presence of the road user within a strip of selectable width from the side of the vehicle can be detected, which sensor is linked to an alarm sounding device by means of which the driver can be alerted if the sensor is activated.

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